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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
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Re: Policy and Rules Concerning the Interstate, Interexchange Marketplace; Implementation of Section 254(g) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended; CC Docket No. 96-61

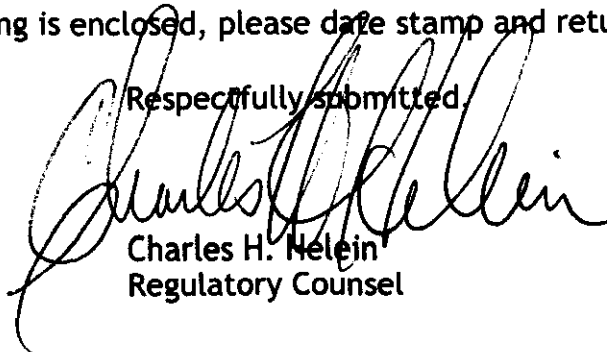
Dear Ms. Dortch:

On behalf of New Century Telecom, Inc., its attorneys hereby submit its 2003 Certification of Compliance with the Federal Communications Commission's geographic rate averaging and rate integration requirements pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 64.1900.

If you have questions concerning this filing, please contact the undersigned.

An extra copy of this filing is enclosed, please date stamp and return.

Respectfully submitted,



Charles H. Helein
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CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE

I, Kathleen K. Helein, hereby certify that I was the President of New Century Telecom, Inc. ("NCT"), and that I am authorized to execute this Certification on behalf of NCT.

Furthermore, I hereby swear under oath that, to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, CTS complies with the geographic rate averaging and rate integration obligations pursuant to Section 254 (g) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, in providing detariffed interstate, domestic, interexchange services.

NCT ceased operations under its present management effective August 31, 2002. Therefore, this Certification covers the period January 1, 2002 through August 31, 2002.

Kathleen K. Helein
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President

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of May, 2002.

Lisa Smith
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 3/1/06